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Subject: RE: Outline and draft chapters - Stormwater Finance Training Course

Dave,

Welcome back. Wanted to check in with you about the training course, below. Is this available now? I can't seem to locate it on the EPA website but thought you told me that it was up.

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Subject: Outline and draft chapters - Stormwater Finance Training Course

Hi Folks
I think you know form me that EPA is working on an on-line stormwater finance training course to be posted on the EPA HQ Water Finance Center website in December or January. We are rushing to get the content written, but I thought you might be interested in seeing the course outline and the more detailed chapters 1 and 2 (that I just wrote). I borrowed liberally from your excellent ideas- hope you don't mind too much.

The chapters will get a pretty hard edit to tighten them up and add more graphics, fotos, and other visuals to make it more interesting to look at, then will be coded for internet posting using Adobe Captivate (which yields a course that looks kind of like fancy powerpoint with lots of annimations).

If you have thoughts or suggestions, please let me know. If you would be willing to take a look at the whole course during the first 2 weeks of October (when we will have a brief window for outside review by a small number of reviewers), pls let me know as well.

This was not the best managed project so we are now in firedrill mode. I just got involved about 2 months ago, when I found out about this and learned nothing had been completed. I am now project managing the effort and working with Seth Brown (WEF), Bobby Jacobsen et al (PG Environmental), and Holly Galavotti (EPA HQ) to get it across the line by about the end of the month or mid October.

I believe we will be able to do more work on it next year to create a better version 2.0 if needed. I would also be interested in discussing how we might tailor this for CA situations should you think it is useful to do so.

Just so you know, I will be on leave from 10 minutes from now until 9/24, taking a needed vacation.
Thanks
Dave

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